

Isac Baker Home (Cedar Hall)  
Plantersville, DeWitt County, Texas

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BAKER HOME  
Plantersville, Grimes County, Texas

Owner Walter Greenwood  
Date of Erection 1854- 1860  
Architect Unknown  
Builder Captain Isaac Baker  
Present Condition Excellent  
Number of Stories Two stories  
Other Existing Records Unknown  
Materials of Construction Frame

Additional Data: Captain Baker was a planter from Alabama.

This place is in good condition and has had practically no alterations.

Information from: Mrs. Hanna Faw, 91 years old and life long resident of Plantersville, Texas.

Captain Isaac Baker was a wealthy cotton planter of Alabama. He came to Texas during the early 1850's as a member of a wagon train from Alabama bringing his cattle and negro slaves with him. On his arrival to Texas he purchased a large tract of land near the town site of Plantersville where he, with the aid of his slaves erected the present home in 1854. He was a strong supporter of the Confederate cause and served as Captain in one of the Confederate companies.